

**Fiscal Impact:**  
Proposed for Repeal  
10A NCAC 43F .0101-.1012 – Children’s Special Health Services

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**Authority:** G.S. 130A-124

**Impact Summary:** *De Minimis*

State government:	No
Local government:	No
Private industry:	No
Substantial impact:	No

**Repeal of Rules**

In accordance with the Rules Modification and Improvement Program (RMIP) of 2010, the NC Commission for Public Health and the Division of Public Health believe that these rules meet the criteria of EO 70 because the Commission has identified them as being unnecessary.

The following rules are proposed for repeal as follows: 10A NCAC 43F .0101-.1012 – Children’s Special Health Services.

**Background**

The Children’s Special Health Services program is no longer administered by the Division of Public Health. The medical services previously reimbursed by CSHS funding are now covered under Medicaid and Health Choice coverage within the EPSTD program. As described in the attached memorandum, State funding for the remaining services that had not been covered under Medicaid/Health Choice was cut in 2008 and has not been subsequently restored. Services previously funded by CSHS are covered under EPSTD.

Please refer to the attached Memorandum announcing the change in coverage.

**Fiscal Impact**

There is no estimated impact to local or state agencies or to private businesses. The proposed repeal of these rules will not require any additional staff or staff cost to the NC DPH or to local entities (public health departments).

10A NCAC 43F. 0101 - .1012 are proposed to be repealed as follows:

**SUBCHAPTER 43F - CHILDREN'S SPECIAL HEALTH SERVICES:  
CHILDREN AND YOUTH SECTION**

**SECTION .0100 - GENERAL PROVISIONS**

**10A NCAC 43F .0101     PURPOSE**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0102     DEFINITIONS**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0201     REFERRAL AND FOLLOW-UP**

*History Note:*     *Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .0202     RELEASE OF MEDICAL INFORMATION**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0203     OUT-OF-STATE CARE**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0204     SPONSORED CLINICS**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0205     PARTICIPATING PHYSICIANS, ORTHODONTISTS AND  
PROSTHODONTISTS**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0206     NEW CLINIC DIRECTORS AND NEW CLINICS**

*History Note:*     *Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .0207     SPEECH AND LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS AND AUDIOLOGISTS**

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**SECTION .0300 - ELIGIBILITY**

**10A NCAC 43F .0301     DETERMINATION**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0302    AGE**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0303    MEDICAL CONDITIONS SUPPORTED BY THE PROGRAM**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0304    MEDICAL CONDITIONS OR PROCEDURES NOT SUPPORTED**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0305    APPEALS PROCEDURE CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0401    CLINIC SERVICES**

*History Note:    Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .0402    OTHER OUTPATIENT SERVICES**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0403    HOSPITALS**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0404    HOSPITALIZATION**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0405    SPECIAL THERAPY**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0406    ORTHODONTIC AND PROSTHODONTIC DENTAL CARE**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0407    APPLIANCES AND EQUIPMENT**

*History Note:    Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .0408    DRUGS**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0409    BLOOD**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0410 STAFF CONSULTANT AND ADVISORY SERVICES**

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**SECTION .0500 - AUTHORIZATION AND BILLING PROCEDURES**

**10A NCAC 43F .0501 AUTHORIZATION POLICIES**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0502 SERVICE AUTHORIZATION**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0503 CANCELLATIONS**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0504 SPECIAL THERAPY REQUESTS**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0505 BILLING POLICIES**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0506 PHYSICIANS' BILLING POLICIES**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0507 OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0508 CLINIC CHARGES AND OUTPATIENT CHARGES**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0509 CLERICAL CHARGES**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0510 AUTHORIZED HOSPITALIZATION**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0511 AUTHORIZED APPLIANCES**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0512 AUTHORIZED DRUGS FOR OUTPATIENTS**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0513 REIMBURSEMENT RATES**

*History Note: Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .0514 APPEALS PROCEDURE**

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**SECTION .0600 - FORMS**

**10A NCAC 43F .0601 REQUESTS FOR FORMS**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0602 REQUEST FORM FOR COST SERVICES**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0603 FINANCIAL ELIGIBILITY FORM**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0604 FORMS FOR DENIAL OF REQUESTS FOR SERVICE**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0605 CLINIC NOTES FORM**

*History Note: Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .0606 CLINIC RECORD**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0607 CLERICAL SERVICES**

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**SECTION .0700 - ROSTERS**

**10A NCAC 43F .0701 QUALIFICATIONS**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0702 FURTHER INFORMATION**

*History Note: Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .0703    APPEALS PROCEDURE**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0704    ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS**

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**10A NCAC 43F .0801    GENERAL PROVISION**

*History Note:    Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .0802    REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ADOPTIVE CHILD**

*History Note:    Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .0803    RESERVED FOR FUTURE CODIFICATION**

**10A NCAC 43F .0804    APPLICATION FOR COVERAGE AFTER ADOPTION**

*History Note:    Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .0901    AGREEMENT WITH VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION**

*History Note:    Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**SECTION .1000 - CHILDREN'S SPECIAL HEALTH CONTRACT FUNDS**

**10A NCAC 43F .1001    OUTPATIENT CLINIC SERVICES**

*History Note:    Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .1002    DEFINITIONS**

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**10A NCAC 43F .1003    PROVIDER ELIGIBILITY**

*History Note:    Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .1004    CLIENT ELIGIBILITY**

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**10A NCAC 43F .1005    SCOPE OF SERVICES**

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**10A NCAC 43F .1006    ALLOCATION OF FUNDS: CONTRACT**

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**10A NCAC 43F .1007    REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**

*History Note:*    *Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .1008    CLIENT AND THIRD PARTY FEES**

*History Note:*    *Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .1009    APPLICATION FOR FUNDS**

*History Note:*    *Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .1010    BUDGETING OF GRANT FUNDS**

*History Note:*    *Authority G.S. 130A-124.*

**10A NCAC 43F .1011    ANNUAL PLAN**

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**10A NCAC 43F .1012    RENEWAL OF GRANT FUNDS**

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MEMORANDUM

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Speech Language Therapists  
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CDSAs

From: Carol Tant, Branch Head  
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Re: Children's Special Health Services Purchase of Medical Care

As many of you were previously notified, all services under Children's Special Health Services (CSHS) Purchase of Medical Care (POMC) were transferred to the Division of Medical Assistance (DMA) on or before July 1, 2008, with the exception of ramps, tie downs, car seats, vests, and most over-the-counter medications which are not paid for by Medicaid.

The CSHS POMC program faced budget reductions this year and as of September 1, 2008 funding will no longer be available to pay for the few areas DMA does not cover (ramps, tie downs, car seats, vests, and most over-the-counter medications). **No new requests will be reviewed or authorized past August 31, 2008, including any retroactive authorization for services rendered.** We are pleased that the majority of services, with the exception the five items listed above, will now be reviewed and considered for payment by DMA under the EPSDT program.

In addition, as of July 1, 2008, DMA expanded service review to include augmentative communication devices and cochlear implant replacement parts and repair.

All claims for items that have been previously authorized by the CSHS Program will be honored for the authorized time period.

Thank you for your assistance with this transition. We have enjoyed working with you over the past years to provide these services to children. Please direct your questions about coverage to DMA at 919-855-4310. If there are any further questions, please contact the Children with Special Health Care Needs Help Line at 1-800-737-3028.

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